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Table with 2 columns: Train No., Time. Rows for No. 1, 2, 3, 4.

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No. 3, north, " 11:30 am.
No. 4, south, " 2:45 pm.

Freight Trains.
No. 1, north, leaves at 11:30 pm.
No. 2, south, " 11:30 pm.
No. 3, north, " 11:30 pm.
No. 4, south, " 11:30 pm.

Time about fifteen minutes slower than town time.
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No. 4, south, " 4:20 am.

Freight Trains.
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No. 2, south, " 11:30 pm.
No. 3, north, " 11:30 pm.
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SMALL CHANGE.

Tomatoes are getting ripe.

Buck wants to know "Where is the picnic?"

Apples and plums are on the market.

Read the advertisement headed "To Advertisers."

The Banner Store has another big advertisement. "Look sharp."

A number of our citizens went to the hop at Gibson Wells yesterday.

Dr. M. B. Harris has our thanks for a lot of delicious peaches. They were tip-top.

Our friend Mark Baird presented us with the first ripe tomato of the season last Friday.

Sufferers with bad teeth will remember that Dr. Crawford will spend next week in Milan.

Duffy says he had roasting ears from his garden last Sunday. If he had sent us some, we would have believed him.

An oak tree on the premises of Mr. W. J. House, in this city, continually drops water, even in dry weather. It is a water oak.

See advertisement of fine farm for sale or rent. Small fruit raisers can secure an excellent farm very cheap by calling in time.

And now the fruit-drummer begins to look around for plums, apples and peaches. Milan will make him happy in a little while.

Send in your orders for election tickets. We have already printed several thousand, and are prepared to fill all orders promptly.

The Lotus Club, at Huntingdon, has our thanks for an invitation to an entertainment, to be given to-morrow night at the residence of Mr. Felix Williams, in that city.

Mayor Rankin has effectively stopped Sunday traffic here. Not a cigar, drink, paper collar, or anything else, except medicine, can be bought in Milan now on the Sabbath. Hurrah for Rankin!

"What is Portoline," and "Take that Buckeye out of our pocket," are the headings of two local which everybody ought to read. Cousins & Tabler are reliable druggists, and their medicines are very popular.

The Sunday-schools had an ugly day for their picnic yesterday, and, consequently, few went out. It rained at intervals all through the day. A few "ducks" and "geese" paddled out, and then paddled back again.

The Committee of Invitation have our thanks for an invitation to the Fifth Anniversary Banquet of Laurel Lodge No. 13, Knights of Pythias, to be given next Monday evening at Tomlin Hall, Jackson. No doubt it will be a pleasant affair.

It seems that our query last week, as to who ran over the calf, struck two birds. We learn since that one of our charmingest young lady friends has been doing some involuntary circuit-riding, with a calf for a steed. "Many a shaft, at random sent, finds mark the archer little meant!" She was not the rider to whom we alluded.

We've got 'em, too. We don't intend to be outdone by Nashville, or any other town in the State. The Colorado beetle, or potato bug, has made its appearance here in small numbers. We have heard of no damage done yet, and suppose there will hardly be much this year. It will be well enough, though, to kill every one you see. They will probably cause trouble next year.

Under the proper head will be found the announcement of Dorsey O. Thomas, Esq., of Brownsville, as a candidate for Attorney-General of this circuit. Mr. Thomas is well known to many of our readers as a lawyer of great talent and much energy and experience. If elected, he will make an efficient officer, and will give general satisfaction. We take pleasure in recommending him kindly to the voters of the circuit.

Miss Alice McKelvey's private school closed last Monday night with music, speeches and essays at the residence of W. J. House, Esq. Prizes were awarded to Miss Bettie House for penmanship and to Miss Lemora House for music. During the evening refreshments were served, and we learn that it was a most enjoyable affair. We regret very much that we were unable to attend. Miss McKelvey is an excellent and successful teacher, and her pupils all reflect honor on her ability as an instructor.

Something new has been exhibited in Milan this week, and it appears to be a very useful invention, too, and one that ought to be in every family. It is Wetherill's Patent Lamp Valve, which prevents lamps from exploding under all circumstances. It is claimed that the lowest test coal oil can be used with this valve with perfect safety, and that an explosion is impossible. Messrs. Webb & Alsbrook are agents for southern territory, and want to sell county rights. They can be seen at Mrs. Clark's hotel.

PERSONAL.

Alex. Routstone, the jovial, called on us last Friday.

Hon. W. W. Vaughan spent a few hours here last Friday evening.

Dr. R. D. Thompson, of Jackson, was in our town last Monday, looking well.

Postal Clerk Mason is back on this run. Since he made headquarters here, he has married him a wife, and is much happier, of course.

Ed. Coleman returned here last Sunday, after several weeks absence. His mother died in Louisville on Monday of last week, after a lingering illness.

Miss Mamie Smith, after a visit of several months here, left for her Georgia home last Tuesday evening. Her numerous friends wish her a safe and pleasant trip.

Miss Bettie Rawlins, a charming young lady of Stanton, is visiting this city. We wish her a pleasant visit, and, if it's in the power of our Milan beaux, we know it will be fulfilled.

Governor Stone, of Mississippi, spent several days visiting Wm. Stone, Esq., and other relatives in this section since our last issue. This brilliant gentleman has made a record of which we are all proud.

Hon. E. J. Read, candidate for Circuit Judge, honored our sanctuary with a visit yesterday. He is putting in some good work all over the circuit, and thinks his prospects for election are very fine indeed.

Mr. Lamar, of the firm of Arnold & Lamar, Chicago, arrived here last Monday. He reports that Mr. Arnold is well and doing well. We are glad to hear it. His house is one of the best in the city. Send your fruit there.

Miss Emma Wohlleben, one of Oxford's (Miss.) most amiable and accomplished young ladies, returned home Monday, after a stay of two weeks at Dr. Denton's. Miss Emma gained many friends among the young ladies and made quite an impression on the hearts of the young men. One of them remarked, as the train moved off, "O, I can't wait to stay in Milan now."

RAILROAD ITEMS.

See change of schedule on the Louisville road.

Fitzgerald is doing some fine work on the new side track at the passenger depot.

Travelers will be glad to learn that the train which leaves here at three p. m. on the Louisville road now makes close connection at McKelvey for Nashville, a change of schedule having taken effect on the Nashville and Chattanooga road last Sunday. Passengers leaving at three will now reach Nashville at half-past nine at night. The early morning train also makes close connection at McKelvey.

Erin Review: A man named Murphy, who had been working on Tennessee river, was killed by passenger train No. 3 at Gaddy's crossing, near Daville, on Friday morning of last week. He was intoxicated and was sitting on the end of one of the crosses. The engineer did not see him until almost upon him. He then reversed his engine and used every effort to stop the train, but the engine struck him, inflicting injuries from which he died in about two hours.

COUNTY NEWS.

E. J. Arnold, an old citizen of this county, died at Eaton a few days since.

Cotton and corn are looking well in this section, and we do not hear much complaint from the farmers.

The school teachers of the county will remember that the next institute will be held at Eaton on the 5th and 6th of July.

Seth Stewart, two miles north of town, has some fine clover as we ever saw. Much of it is four and one-half feet high.

W. H. Harvey, living a short distance from here, has a Berkshire sow, weighing three hundred pounds, which recently gave birth to fourteen pigs, and not a runt among them.

Jo. Jones, Esq., of this neighborhood, picked about half the grapes from five vines at his home last year, made wine with them, and cleared \$80. It is estimated that, at the same ratio, one acre would have cleared \$9000. Who would raise cotton when they can do this well?

TRENTON.

A teachers' institute will be held in Trenton to-morrow and Saturday for the benefit of the colored teachers of this county. A number of distinguished teachers will attend.

This young man who strings out "words, words, words" for the Mirror has been trying very hard to draw the EXCHANGE into a discussion of the tramp question. Failing in that he last week tried to be funny in a half column of balderdash, in which he brings the Union City Herald. By the way, the editor of the Herald could write a much abler and cleverer article in his sleep. Young man, follow the example of the EXCHANGE—write more news and less trash, and your paper will be read by more people. And, above all, remember that "Words are like leaves; and where they most abound Much fruit of sense beneath is rarely found."

From the Trenton Herald.

The supper by the ladies of the Methodist church, last evening, was one of the most elegant affairs we ever attended. A large crowd was present and enjoyed it very much. The proceeds amounted to about \$1400.

From the Belee (Ark.) Watchman we learn that Mr. P. D. McCulloch, Jr., formerly a resident of Trenton, is a candidate in the first judicial district for prosecuting attorney. The paper says he is the foremost man in the field.

Mrs. M. L. Lyons, aged 105 years, who lives about a mile from town, walked into Langford's photograph gallery one day last week, and had her picture taken. She is quite active, and looks like she will live at least ten years longer.

We hear of considerable complaint about the mails between here and St. Louis. Several of our business men have lost letters containing postoffice orders, drafts and checks between the two places. We don't know whose fault it is, but the matter should be looked into at once.

During the month of May, county clerk M. C. Holmes issued the following marriage licenses: J. M. Cunningham and M. E. Cunningham; Houston Hill and N. Connell; H. G. Chunn and M. E. Thompson; Charley Jones and Lou Ivie; A. McCulloch and Maria Boyett; G. W. Green and M. R. Waldman; J. W. Holland and A. C. Florence; James Morris and Emily Hopper; L. Pike and Rebecca Black; L. Z. Barnes and E. Daugherty; Larkin Greer and M. Watt; A. Burns and E. Hoskins; A. Barrett and Clara Williams; B. Bradford and Ann Reeves; J. Cunningham and E. Howard.

From the Trenton Mirror.

The Knights of Pythias have recently reorganized their lodge at this place under most auspicious circumstances. Six new members have been initiated since the reorganization. This order has now a new feature, called "The Endowment Rank,"—an insurance feature similar to that of the Workmen and Knights of Honor.

HUMBOLDT.

The Journal places the name of Hon. John L. T. Speed at its masthead for Governor.

The Journal bewails the want of enterprise of its citizens because they will not build a cotton factory.

From the Humboldt Journal.

It is thought that Mr. Alex. Mullen, who was shot near this place some time ago will hardly recover.

A Cornet Band has been organized in this place and the instruments have been ordered. This is something that has long been needed.

While working with a reaper at Mr. Jackson Williams, on the morning of the 6th, Mr. Thomas Shelton had four of the fingers on his right hand cut off.

A shameful occurrence transpired in town a few days ago. A child of a family that is under no disrepute whatever died and two ladies had to shroud the child, put it in the coffin and then place the coffin in the wagon to be carried to the grave yard. This was done in the face of a crowd of men who never offered any assistance. Shame on the place! Where is our humanity and our sympathies for dying humans?

GIBSON.

Editor Exchange:

Another week of responsibilities, of sorrows and pleasures, of good deeds and evil deeds is numbered with the past and the account is to be made up of hearts; and to-day the sun shines as brightly and the air is as balmy as if man had not always been an imperfect sinful being. The weather is favorable and farmers are making good use of their time in finishing up work on crops. Health of community good. Crops generally in good condition. Business with tradesmen dull. Not much time spent in town, while the weather is so propitious. A few candidates visit us occasionally. Esq. Jas. McDermott, Mr. Jones and Esq. Allison to-day. Candidates are certainly men of good taste, for they all seem to chafe wondrously of the people dwelling at Gibson. Candidates are not to blame for having to visit every farm house, hill and hollow; but public opinion is. Just to think of one hundred men electioneering for 4 to 6 months. All

that voters should require should be to see candidates and learn of their fitness for positions sought. We should vote upon best judgment and conscientiously. "When the wicked rule the land mourneth" has been verified in our history for many years. Vote for no man simply because he is the nominee of a party, or offers himself for your votes. None but true men well qualified should be trusted with the management of the affairs of the people. But I commenced to say a few things from Gibson, and here I am on politics.

Wheat threshing will commence in a few days. Our crops are in fine condition generally. Those visiting us say better than many parts of the country. The feeling to plant less cotton, raise more and better stock, provisions abundantly and enrich lands, by sowing clover and grass, and developing the fruit advantages of our section. Nature has done nobly in giving soil and climate, unsurpassed for profitable fruit growing. The native grape grows luxuriantly upon a country as we have. We are in valley. The strawberry is plentiful in enclosed woods; the wild plum grows to great perfection. By healthy industry man can have vegetables, milk and butter, honey and all the good things of good living, with reasonable efforts. Why will people leave such a country to go west? Poor industrious men live better here than wealthy men in the much praised Texas. I know a man, whether he lives in Gibson or not I cannot say, that stayed in Texas through the vegetable season of 1862 and saw but one cabbage and carried half of that from Austin to Salado, fifty miles. Those who have wares to sell should let it be known. Those who have a good country and want more population should act likewise. Thousands east who are living on land not so good as ours, valued at \$100 per acre, would make haste to get homes here, at from 10 to 30 dollars per acre, if they had any idea we had such a country as we have. We are only six miles from Milan, the great railroad shipping point, and will welcome all in search of homes.

T. C. J.

CARROLL ITEMS.

The closing exercises of Trezevant Academy will take place on the nights of the 13th and 14th inst.

We understand a tramp met with a tragic death at McKelvey last Saturday morning. He got on the truck of a passenger coach, and tried to steal a ride on the Memphis train, but fell and was dragged some distance, having both arms cut off. He died afterward. We did not learn his name.

A match game of base ball was played at Lavinia last Saturday by the Foresters, of that place, and the Quicksteps, of Milan. Only five innings were played, which resulted in a score of 28 to 9 in favor of the Quicksteps. We understand another game will be played soon by the same clubs at Milan.

HUNTINGDON.

From the Huntingdon Visitor.

A lady named Cage filed a petition for a divorce last Saturday. Eggs sold on the streets at 7c per dozen—and are not in demand.

THE MILAN EXCHANGE is the latest local paper in the State. Friend Wade believes in "boiling down."

As an evidence that hard times are indeed upon us, we note the fact that harvest hands are only paid \$1 per day around here. \$2 per day has been the standard price for many years.

After five or six weeks delay, some powerful agent moved Postmaster General Key, and he appointed Miss Wilhelmina Hawkins postmistress at this place, to succeed E. G. Ridgley, resigned.

The Fourth of July barbecue and bazaar at this place is now a settled fact. The music has been secured, and those who have the affair in hand say they want to make it as big a thing as was the 4th of July in '76. As the young ladies and gentlemen were returning from preaching at Roane's Creek last Sunday, the horse which Mr. Laurence Gardner drove became frightened and ran away, throwing Miss Eunice Hilliard out, dislocating her arm and otherwise slightly injuring her.

From the Huntingdon Republicans.

An old gentleman, who lives in the country, was here Monday for the first time in thirty years.

Marriages licenses issued during the past week: Andrew Green and Mary Smith. Newton Finley and N. A. E. Carr. Ras Caldwell (col.) charged with larceny was brought in from the Western end of the county and lodged in jail to await his trial.

The Union Sunday School at this place was organized into a Cumberland Presbyterian Sunday School last Sunday, and will hereafter be under the control of that church.

Our farmers have the most of their wheat harvested. The yield of white wheat is light, the red being good. The yield is considered as a half crop, but the acreage is unusually large.

POSTPONED.

The County Teachers' Institute, which was to have convened in Bradford last Friday and Saturday, was postponed until the 26th and 27th of July, by request of the citizens.

LOCAL NOTICES.

John Douglas has the best W. H. Walker corn whiskey. Go and try it.

The fourth lot of Linen Suits are now being closed out by E. A. Duffy. Go quick and secure a bargain.

A nice stock of Emblem Pins, such as Knights of Honor, A. O. U. W., Odd Fellows, Masons, Murphys, &c., can be found at R. O. Crump's, Brown & Dickson's store.

Magie Puffings, in great abundance, only 10 cents a yard at E. A. Duffy's.

Ladies' fine Gold Sets, fine Roll Plate Sets and Celluloid Sets at R. O. Crump's.

Go to E. A. Duffy and buy Bourette Grenadines at 30 cents a yard. Panic prices!

Something nice in Misses' Ear Drops, Gold and Plated, Misses Sets and Cuff Buttons at R. O. Crump's.

E. A. Duffy sells marseilles at only 15 cents a yard.

Spectacles! Spectacles!! I can suit anybody in spectacles, Gold, Silver or Steel. Call and see me at my new stand, at Brown & Dickson's. R. O. CRUMP.

Folding Fans from 5c up. Ostrich and Rural Fans perfect beauties at E. A. Duffy's.

Old Gold and Silver taken in exchange for Jewelry, Spectacles, &c., at R. O. Crump's.

Kid Gloves at 50 cents a pair at E. A. Duffy's. Finer ones at higher prices.

Gent's Roll Plate Vest Chains, guaranteed to wear five years, for sale by R. O. Crump.

Corded Piques only 10 cents a yard at E. A. Duffy's.

Gold and Silver Watches can be bought of R. O. Crump cheaper than elsewhere. He keeps on hand a good stock.

E. A. Duffy sells Hamburg Edgings from 5c a yard up to the best.

Ladies, if you want a good heavy Silver Thimble, R. O. Crump has them. He also has in stock some very nice Neckties and Charms, for sale cheap.

Embroideries at 5c a yard at E. A. Duffy's.

Pistols, Cartridges, Violin, Guitar and Banjo Straps, at R. O. Crump's.

The new style Japanese Street Hats at E. A. Duffy's are perfectly lovely. Get one, by all means.

Mr. E. Poole has recently located in Milan for the purpose of selling the Singer Sewing Machine and Attachments, and Needles for all Machines. He will also repair machines at reasonable prices. He can be found at Brown & Dickson's store.

Send your orders for pianos and organs to H. G. Hollenberg, 294 Main street, Memphis. He has the best and fullest assortment and sells as low as a genuine article can be bought.

An Astonishing Fact.

A large proportion of the American people are to-day dying from the effects of Dyspepsia or disordered liver. The result of these diseases upon the muscles of intelligent and valuable people is most alarming, making life actually a burden instead of a pleasant existence of enjoyment and usefulness as it ought to be. There is no good reason for this, if you will only throw aside prejudice and skepticism, take the advice of druggists and your friends, and try one bottle of Green's August Flower. Your speedy relief is certain. Millions of bottles of this medicine have been given away to try its virtues, with satisfactory results in every case. You can buy a sample bottle for 10 cents to try. Three doses will relieve the worst case. Positively sold by all druggists on the Western Continent. For sale by W. H. Coley, Milan, Tenn.

A Cross Mark

On the margin of your paper indicates that your time is out, or will expire with the next paper. Remember our rule—CASH ALWAYS IN ADVANCE.

Parties wishing to buy real estate or rent houses, at a bargain, will do well to call on O. H. Hallstrom, Milan, Tenn.

Robertson has just received this day, by Express, a large stock of Ladies' Misses' and children's Spring Hats direct from New York. For sale cheap.

Hallstrom has the latest and most fashionable Ladies' Dress Goods, Millinery Fancy Goods and Notions ever brought to Milan, and defies competition. Call and see for yourself.

E. A. Duffy sells Parasols at from 35c apiece up.

We have just received a lot of new and very cheap stationery, and are now prepared to print letter heads, bill heads, statements, etc., cheaper than ever. Send in your orders.

Removal.

I have removed my stock of Watches, Clocks and Jewelry to Brown & Dickson's store, where I will be pleased to see my friends and customers. R. O. CRUMP.

Special to the Ladies.

Miss Mary Wade is prepared to re-shape, dye and press hats in the latest and most fashionable styles. Charges moderate. Give her a call. Butter, eggs, chickens, &c., taken in pay.

THE EMPORIUM.

Young men come